



## OFFICIAL MEDIA RELEASE

### KENT COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT



Date: June 17, 2016

Complaint Number: 16-129272

Type of Incident: Death Investigation

Location: 8100 Block of Patterson S.E., Gaines Township

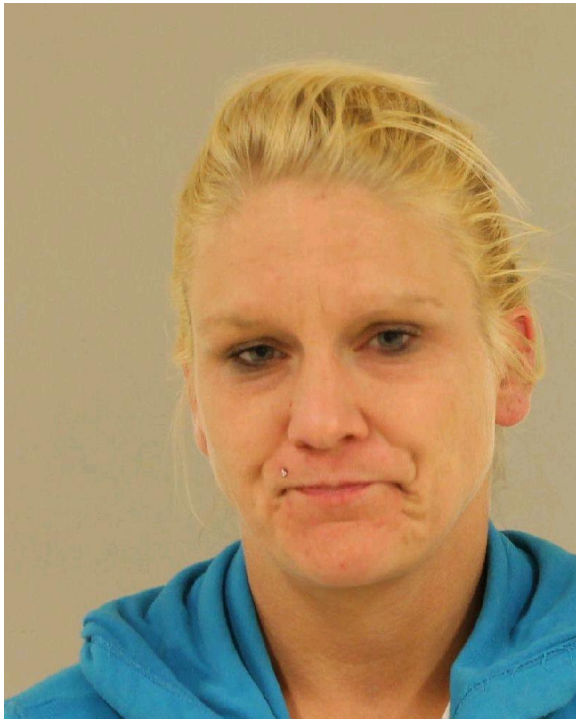
Assigned Detective: Marcus Glover

Supervisor Approval: Undersheriff Michelle LaJoye-Young

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#### **UPDATE – JUNE 17, 2016 6:30 PM**

The decedent was identified as April Renee Keenan, 35 years old of Grand Rapids and Jenison. There were no external signs of trauma. The cause of death will not be released until the autopsy is complete, which could take several weeks if toxicology results are required. Detectives are asking anyone with information or who know of April's whereabouts prior to her death to call the Kent County Sheriff Department at 616-632-6357 or Silent Observer at 616-774-2345.



APRIL KEENAN – DATE OF PHOTO 10/28/2015

**ORIGINAL – JUNE 17, 2016 2:15 PM**

The Kent County Sheriff Department has been called to the 8100 block of Patterson in Gaines Township. A woman walking in the area discovered a deceased female near a fence line off of the road.

Investigators are currently on scene and gathering information regarding the circumstances of her death and identification. The body is of a white female in her 30s. The medical examiner will determine the cause of death.

Additional information will be released when we have determined the identity of the victim and the family has been notified.

Media Contact: Undersheriff Michelle LaJoye-Young 616-632-6236.